DOUBLE S & H GREEN STAMPS EVERY TUESDAY

"KING'S DOES MORE"

STORE HOURS MONDAY-SATURDAY 8 A.M. to 9 P.M. SIX DAYS A WEEK

Sirloin Steak $1.49 lb.

Swifts Premium Protein BEEF BROIL

Bacon Jamestown SLICED lb. 93¢

Gwaltney Franks 12 Oz. Pkg 79¢

Gwaltney Bologna 12 Oz. Pkg. 79¢

Jamestown Sausage lb. 85¢

Ground Round lb. $1.29

Cubed Steak lb. $1.89

Gwaltney Chitterlings 10 Lb. Carton $3.79

T-Bone or Porterhouse Steak lb. $1.59

Boneless Top Round or Manhattan Broil Steak lb. $1.69

Sirloin Tip or Rump Roast lb. $1.69

Chipped Steak lb. $1.89

Coco-Cola 32 OZ. BOTTLES 4 for 69¢ PLUS DEPOSIT

Tomatoes HUNT'S—WHOLE PEEL — 28 OZ. CANS Hunts WHOLE TOMATOES 3 for $1

Facial Tissues Kleenex 2 280 COUNT Boxes 79¢

Pineapple Juice DEL MONTE 46 OZ. CANS 2 for 69¢

VALUABLE COUPON SAVE 40¢ WITH THIS COUPON ON THREE PACKAGES BOUNTY TOWELS 89¢ 125-2 Ply Sheet KINGS SUPER MARKET OFFER EXPIRES 3/21/73 40¢ VALUABLE COUPON $1.29 WITHOUT COUPON

Pleasing Fresh Produce

CABBAGE CRISP & GREEN 2 lbs. 29

Spring Onions 2 Bunches 29¢

Fresh Kale 2 lbs. 39¢

Golden Yellow CORN 3 EARS 35

VIRGINIA GROWN— U. S. EXTRA FANCY APPLES Red or Winesap 3 lbs. $1

Bar Soap Bath Size 2 2 Bar Pkg. 79¢

Washing Powder Cheer 49 Oz. Box 79¢

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VALUABLE COUPON DOWNY Fabric Softner 64 oz. King Size $1.19 WITH THIS COUPON $1.59 WITHOUT COUPON GOOD AT KING'S THIS OFFER GOOD THRU 3/21/73

April Shower of bargains

Frozen Foods & Dairy Dept.

Gorton's GORTON — FILLETS Ocean Perch — 16 OZ. PKG 79¢

Margarine MRS. FILBERT'S— QTRS 3 For $1.00

Cook-In-Bags BANQUET — 5 OZ. PKGS. 4 for $1.00

French Fries PACKER LABEL 32 OZ. PKG. 3 for $1.00

American Cheese BORDEN SLICED — 16 OZ. PKG. 89¢

Orange Juice RICHFOOD— 1/2 GAL CARTON 59¢

KING'S - THE UNDER PRICER

Vanilla Wafers Nabisco Nilla 12 Oz. Box 35¢

Heinz Ketchup 32 Oz. Bottle 59¢

Crisco Shortening 3 Lb. Can 77¢

Pork & Beans Hanover 2 40 Oz. Can 79¢

Spaghetti Mullers Reg or thin 2 16 Oz. Pkg 59¢

Spaghetti Sauce Ragu-All Variety 32 Oz. Jar 79¢

Sandwich Cookies Fireside - 24 Oz. Pkg. 39¢

Scott Liquid Gold 16 Oz. $1.29

CORN Wigwam - 5 17 Oz. Can $1.00

Sweet Peas Wigwam - 5 16 Oz. Can $1.00

Cut Green Beans 5 Wigwam- 15½ Oz. Can $1.00

Vegetable Soup 6 Campbell's 10¾ Oz. Cans $1.00

Mixed Vegetables 6 WIGWAM 16 Oz. Cans $1.00

Libby's 4 Oz. Can

Vienna Sausage 4 for $1.00

Hot Dog Chili 4 Texas Pete 10½ oz. Can $1.00

Tuna Helper 2 All Variety- 7½ Oz. Pkg $1.00

KINGS SUPER MARKETS TRIANGLE PLAZA SHOPPING CENTER

Health & Beauty Aid Dep

Adorn 13 Oz. Hair Spray Reg $2.35 Special

Colgate 11 Oz. Can Instant Shave Reg. 79¢ Special

Deodorant with Tract II Razor Right Guard Reg $1.59 Special

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GROVE 6073 EET MONDAY

bers of WOW Grove are reminded of the meeting to be held night, April 23rd, of previously planned

A Good Friday Worship Service

A GOOD FRIDAY WORSHIP SERVICE has been arranged for the Appomattox Community. The Rev. E. Moray Peoples, Jr., Vicar at St. Anne's Episcopal Church, and the Rev. Henry E. Riley, minister at Memorial United Methodist Church will officiate.

The service is open to all denominations and is intended to remember the "Last Seven Words" of Christ from the Cross. The ministers will preach on each "Word" during the three-hour period. The service is divided into 25 minute portions between noon and 3 p.m. so that worshipers may conveniently come and go. No one is expected to stay for the entire time.

SUNRISE SERVICE AT MT. COMFORT

There will be an Easter Sunrise Service for the Appomattox Methodist Circuit on Sunday at 6:30 a.m. at Mount Comfort Church.

Rev. Leon A. Lawrence, pastor of the church, will deliver the message.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

CHEERLEADERS SPONSOR CAR WASH

Bring your car or your pick-up by the Fidelity National Bank - Branch Bank on Sat., April 21st anytime between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. The ACHS Cheerleaders will wash and vacuum the inside for $2.50 per car and will also clean your windows.

This car wash had been set for Saturday, March 31st, but heavy rains cancelled out the project.

Proceeds from the car wash will be used to help send these girls to Cheerleading Camp this summer.

Pamplin Ruritans Change Meeting Date

Since the Pamplin Ruritan Club was organized in 1948, it has always met on the second Friday of each month. The club will change its meetings to the fourth Tuesday evening effective this month.

Major activities planned for the year are to reorganize the Pamplin Boy Scout troop and pack, Rev. John Campbell, Jim Cobb and Harry Byrd Elam are serving as scout masters. The club will again sponsor the Pamplin Little League team. A donkey softball game is planned for June and a turkey shoot this fall to help support these youth activities.

Mr. D. H. Gaulden, Jr., District Engineer, and Mr. Fred T. Anstey, District Right-of-Way Engineer, Virginia Department of Highways, were guests at our last meeting. Both the Highway Department and the club have become concerned about the rising percentage of right-of-way acquisitions that must be settled by the court.

In many instances legal fees are as much as any difference awarded by the court. Anstey urged the civic group to recommend competent commissioners to appraise property to be settled by the courts.

"The value of the entire property less the fair market value of the remanent is the basis for the damage", Anstey said.

Board of Viewers to Be Appointed By Supervisors

T. E. Pittman, Resident Engineer Virginia Department of Highways, appeared before the Board of Supervisors at their meeting on Friday to request that the board appoint a Board of Viewers to view roads that were requested at the annual Public Road hearing in march. The board granted the request and after meeting the Board of Viewers will report back to the Board of Supervisors.

Mr. Terrell Griffen, Public Safety and Criminal Justice Planner with the Division of Justice and Crime prevention, and Appomattox County Sheriff, Gene Richardson, advised the board that a Federal grant was available to Appomattox County through the Division of Justice and Crime Prevention for schools of law enforcement officers in the amount of $2,245. The board approved the application for the grant.

Eugene Peyton, Superintendent of Schools, reported that the State Board of Education was interested in starting a kindergarten in Appomattox County Schools for the1973-74 school session and that all funds would be paid by the state. The school board plans to explore the potentials of a kindergarten program in our county and if it is considered feasible requested premission to use the old Oakville School building. The Board of Supervisors granted permission for the use of the building if needed.

In other business, the board authorized Bill Slagle, Manager of the Town of Appomattox, to

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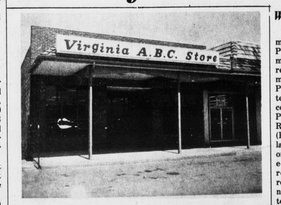
Council Denys Rezoning Of Part of Patricia Ann Lane



New ABC Store Opened Tuesday

The Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control has made public that April 17, 1973 marked the opening of ABC Store 354.

Serving the areas of Madison Heights, Pamplin City, Appomattox and Appomattox County, the new self-service outlet will operate from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Centrally located between Lynchburg and Farmville, the new facility has been strategically situated in the Triangle Plaza Shopping Center accessible to Travelers of Route 460, 26 and 24.

The store similar in layout to other Virginia self-service ABC operations, will have merchandise displayed for customer selection and will carry all items stocked by the ABC Department.

Managing the Department's 51st Self-Service Store will be J. W. Turner, an examiner of accounts. Mr. Turner will serve as an acting manager for an indefinite period of time, according to W. H. Lyons, Stores Division Director.

Will Purchase Bleachers For Ball Park

Robert Hubbard, Vice-Chairman of the Appomattox County Planning Commission and a member of the Town Council, reported to council at their meeting Monday night that the Planning Commission had voted to deny the request to consider re-zoning a portion of Patricia Ann Lane from Residential (R2) to Business (B1) with the possibility of a laundrymat being constructed on that street and recommended that council deny the request also. On the recommendation of the Planning Commission, council voted to deny the request to re-zone this property.

D. S. Nash appeared before council to request sewage for his 69 acre commercial sub-division under construction on Route 24. No action was taken by council at this time but a study will be made regarding the request of Mr. Nash.

Council previously had discussed the need for some minor repairs and the need for bleachers at the Town Ball Park. In view of the fact the ball field is used primarily by the Appomattox County Youth Association, a non-profit organization, for the benefit of the youth of the Town and County of Appomattox, council members felt that the Board of Supervisors would like to share in the cost of this project. The Board of Supervisors, meeting on Friday, was approached and informed council representative that they could not at this time share in any part of the cost.

Taking into consideration the fact that 200 bleachers could be purchased for $1,088, the fact that some of the Revenue Sharing funds could be used for this purchase, and that this was being done for the benefit of the youth, council voted to purchase the 200 bleachers for the ball park.

Mayor Pack and all council members are to be commended for the interest they have shown in the youth of the Town and County of Appomattox by providing and maintaining this recreational facility.

The public should be remin-

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Ground - Breaking For Thomasville Wed., April 25th

Ground will be broken for the new Thomasville Furniture Industries' plant in Appomattox Wednesday, April 25.

The official ceremony will be conducted at the site on U.S. Route 460, adjacent to the western limits of Appomattox, beginning at 11:30 a.m. Company executives and local civic leaders will be in attendance. All interested people in the Appomattox area are cordially invited.

Site preparation work has recently begun for the 450,000 square-foot plant. The actual construction work is expected to start in May.

CHAMBER & COMMERCE WILL HAVE DINNER MEETING APRIL 26TH

A dinner meeting of all members of the Appomattox County Chamber of Commerce will be held Thursday, April 26th, at Maude's Restaurant at 6:45 p.m.

Reservations must be made with Mrs. June Chenault, secretary, by Wed., April 25.

Robert Madden, Superintendent of Appomattox Court House National Historical Park will present an interesting program.

Banjo Pickers To Be In Appomattox

More than 15,000 banjo lovers are expected to gather at Appomattox Court House on Memorial Day weekend for the first annual National Banjo Pickers Championship.

The three-day event will take place next to the ancestral farm, birthplace and burial site of Joel Sweeney, inventor of the five-string banjo who died in 1860.

The contest will run throughout the day on May 26, 27 and 28 with tickets costing $3 per day. The event is being sponsored by the Virginia State String Music Association.

Howard Wolfe, president of the association and owner and manager of Roanoke's BarnDinner Theatre, said he has already received more than 500 applications for the festival from banjo players in Virginia and around the country. He said many members of the association will participate in the festival, but added that entry to the festival is open to all applicants.

Wolfe said he has contacted Roy Clark, a Prince Edward County native and star of the "Hee Haw" television program, in hopes that Clark and "Grandpa Jones" will make an appearance at the festival. Wolfe noted that Lester Flatt and Earl Scruggs have also been invited to participate in the weekend festival, which is mainly for amateurs.

The festival will feature banjo as solo, dueling banjos and banjo-playing with band accompaniment as well as classical, bluegrass and old time music. Competition will also include many bluegrass and old time bands and gospel groups in competition. Wolfe said some of the tunes will be hundreds of years old, dating back to the pioneer days and earlier. He said Sunday morning performances will include between 50 and 75 gospel groups singing in consecutive performances.

The SMA spokesman said his organization will sponsor the event for the first time this year in hopes that it will become an annual event at the

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PTA COUNCIL TO MEET APRIL 26

The Appomattox PTA Council will meet April 26 at 7:30 p.m. at Pamplin Elementary School. All school principals, PTA presidents, school superintendent, delegates and newly elected delegates are urged to attend. This will be the final meeting for the school year.

County Saddened By Death of L. E. Thomas

Citizens of our county were saddened to learn of the death of L. E. Thomas on Saturday. He was well known and well liked by all who knew him.

Lt. L. E. Thomas

Retired State Police Lt. Lloyd E. Thomas of Appomattox, well known in Virginia law enforcement circles, died at 4:10 p.m. Saturday at the age of 61. He was stricken with a heart attack while on the golf course at Appomattox Country Club.

His widow is Mrs. Madeline Martin Thomas.

In addition to his widow, he is survived by a daughter, Barbara Ware Thomas, of Martinsville, and a sister, Myrtle Lee Thomas of Clifton Forge.

Born in Clifton Forge, he was a son of Lloyd Thomas and Susan McAlexander Thomas.

Lieutenant Thomas began his career with the state police in 1936, receiving his first assignment in the Stuart-Bristol area after a brief training period at Virginia Beach.

He was appointed a corporal in 1940 and a short time later was made a sergeant. He then was transferred to Norton with the outbreak of World War 11 where he was charged with combatting episonage agents and saboteurs of mining operations there.

A later assignment to the position of communications officer in Richmond brought him the appointment of first lieutenant.

Following another assignment in Staunton, Lieutenant Thomas came to the Third Division Headquarters in Appomattox, where he spent the last 14 years of his career.

The officer receiver particular recognition in 1938 when he was involved in a high-speed chase and subsequently was wounded at the hands of an escaped killer. Through Thomas' efforts, the fugitive was apprehended.

Lieutenant Thomas, retired in September of 1971 after 37 years of service.

Active in civic and community affairs, Thomas was past president of the Appomattox Lions Club, a member of the Lynchburg Sports Club and Clifton Forge Christian Church.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Robinson Funeral Home in Appomattox with burial at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday in Critz Baptist Church cemetery. Patrick County.

School Board Votes Not To Renew Tucker's Contract

A group of parents, students and teachers appeared before the Appomattox County Board at their meeting last week requesting that Mr. H. Wayne Tucker, Principal at Appomattox County High School, be retained as principal. A number of the people present spoke to the board on behalf of Mr. Tucker and petitions from teachers and from students were presented.

Dr. A. A. Fratrick, Chairman of the School Board, thanked all present for their interest and assured them that the board would seriously consider their remarks.

Later in the meeting the board went into Executive Session to discuss this matter and returned to open session to take the following action: a motion was made by a board member to renew the contract of Tucker but died for the lack of a second. Motion was made that the board not renew the contract of Tucker for the 1973-74 school session and one member voted against the motion and three members voted in favor of the motion, therefore the Appomattox County School Board did not renew Mr. Tucker's contract.

Mr. Tucker had been advised in writing that his contract would not be renewed and was given reasons for his dismissal and also was given a statement advising him that he could request a hearing before the board within 15 days and he could determine if the hearing would be a public or a private hearing.

Eugene Peyton, Superintendent of Appomattox County Schools, reported that a study was underway regarding the possibility of beginning a kfdergarten in the public school system for the 1973-74 session. A survey of students who would be interested in a kindergarden program will be made and the Board of Supervisors would be asked about the possibility of using the old Oakville school building as a temporary means in which to eliminate the overcrowding of public schools if a public kindergarten is started in the fall.

Frank Chuchek, Administrative Assistant, reported to the board that construction on the new county high school is on schedule and is one-third complete.

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A group of teachers, parents, citizens and students appeared before the Appomattox County School Board at their meeting last week in support of Mr. H. Wayne Tucker, Principal at Appomattox County High School.

51 Year Masons

Two fifty-one year members of the Monroe Lodge #301 in Appomattox were honored at a stated meeting recently.

Herman Curtis Blackwell, on the left, born in Appomattox on March 24, 1898, was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason on the 15th day of November 1921 in Monroe Lodge 301. He has served his Lodge as J.D. in 1923; as J.W. in 1924, 1935 and 1937; S.W. in 1925 and 1938; W.M. in 1926 and 1939; and Tiler in 1940. Mr. Blackwell received his 25 year Veteran Award October 11, 1954; received his 50 year Veteran Award January 10, 1972; and was elected to Honorary Membership on January 10, 1972.

Christopher Silas Booth, on the right, was born in Danville, Virginia Sept. 1, 1899 and was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason on the 15th day of September 1922 in Roman Eagle Lodge #122, Danville. He was elected to Monroe Lodge #301 on Dimit from Roman Eagle Lodge #122 and has served Monroe Lodge 301 as Tiler in 1945; S.D. in 1950; J.W in 1951; S.W. in 1952; as W.M. in 1953; as Secretary in 1953 and also has served as Treasurer. Mr. Booth received his 25 year Veteran Award October 11, 1954; received his 50 year Veteran Award November 13, 1972; and was elected to Honorary Membership on December 11, 1972.